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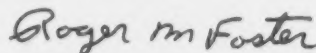
FOREWORD

It is with pleasure that the South Carolina Crop and Livestock Reporting Service presents this 1983 edition of South Carolina Crop Statistics. The agricultural statistics in this publication include revised crop acres, yield, production and value statistics at the state and county level for 1981 and preliminary estimates for 1982. Also included are data on number of farms, land in farms, commercial fertilizer, fruit and vegetable statistics and quarterly on and off farm grain stocks estimates.

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1982 SOUTH CAROLINA CROP SUMMARY

JANUARY: January temperatures and precipitation averaged slightly below normal. Snow fell over most of the state around the 14th, with amounts ranging from 2 inches in the Central and Northeastern portions and 10 inches in parts of the mountains.

The final harvesting of soybeans and cotton scrapping was completed as weather permitted. Other farm activities included soil sampling and liming, along with disking crop residue for spring planting. Tobacco beds were being seeded as some plants were beginning to emerge. Pruning forest trees and vines was also active. General maintenance and farm planning helped fill bad weather days.

FEBRUARY: Temperatures for February averaged above normal as precipitation was normal. High's in the 70's and 80's were reported in some areas on the 24th. Rains fell every week sometimes in the form of freezing rain, sleet and snow.

Disking and plowing for spring and summer planting continued as weather permitted. Other farm activities included liming and testing of soils, fumigation and planting of tobacco beds. Many fruit trees were being pruned and receiving dormant sprays. Small grains and pastures were topdressed. On days unsuitable for field work, farmers were feeding and caring for livestock, repairing farm equipment and planning for the new growing season.

MARCH: As temperatures for March averaged slightly above normal, rainfall was below normal. Readings in the 70's and 80's during most of the month dropped slightly, to lower the last weekly average 2 to 4 degrees below normal. Even though precipitation was light, soil moisture was generally adequate and wet in some areas.

As the warm weather was good for corn and vegetable planting, farmers were able to make good progress especially in coastal tomatoes. By the end of the month planting corn was slowed due to scattered showers. Also held up by wet grounds was the topdressing of small grains and pastures. Tobacco transplanting was underway with a good supply of plants on hand. Wheat was looking good but some locations had heavy infestations of powdery mildew.

By the 21st peaches in the Ridge were blossoming, which was several days ahead of last season. Fruit trees in the Piedmont received heavy frost damage during the week of the 28th and virtually wiped out the peach and apple crop. Spraying programs were active where there was enough of a crop worthy of the practice.

APRIL: Temperatures for April averaged below normal except for the second week when readings were one to three degrees above normal. Long periods of lows in the 20's and 30's during the first week made the cold more damaging to young crops. Some damage due to wind was also reported. Rain fell over the state every week as scattered showers or thunderstorms keeping soil moisture generally adequate and wet in many northern and coastal areas.

Farmers were planting crops when rain did not interfere. At the beginning of the month corn planting in the Sandhills and Upper Coastal Plains was slow due to wet fields. In other areas planting seemed to be on schedule. Cool weather during the first half slowed growth and even required some fields to be replanted. Crop condition averaged fair the first of the month improving to good by the month's end. The planting situation for cotton was similar to that of corn. Planting was slow mostly due to cool temperatures. Some acreage that was seeded early was not germinating properly. Some growers were waiting for warmer weather before planting. By the last week the crop had improved to a good stand in fair condition. Land preparation for soybeans was active during the latter part of the month when weather permitted. Only 1 percent of the crop had been planted. With adequate supplies of tobacco plants on hand, transplanting of the crop made good progress. Damage from wind and frost caused some growers to reset as much as 70 percent. Despite damages from cut worms and vegetable weevils the crop maintained a fair to good rating.

Peaches and apples across the Piedmont were severely damaged by freezing temperatures. Ridge peach losses were not as severe as remaining fruit was reported as growing fast and some varieties were being thinned. Condition of the fruit averaged fair.

Vegetable growers suffered from frost and wind damage, making replanting necessary. Overall, vegetables across the state looked fairly good. Powdery mildew in wheat persisted throughout April. Prospects were improving due to warmer temperatures and adequate soil moisture. Condition of small grains and pastures were

fair to good.

MAY: Weather during May averaged about normal. Temperatures were 1 or 2 degrees below the normal during the first half, changing to 2 degrees above the last two weeks. Rainfall was scattered and lighter than usual early in the month but increased as the period wore on. Occasional localized hail was also noted.

Corn development was slow particularly in areas receiving light amounts of moisture and cool nightly temperatures. Around mid-month, some varieties were yellowing because of cool soils and leaching of nitrogen. Cultivation was conducted throughout the month, as the condition of the crop averaged fair to good. Cotton planting lagged behind last year due to some watersick acreage which needed replanting. Germination problems were experienced in dry areas, along with systemic insecticides not taken up properly into plants. This allowed thrip damage to spread. Towards the end of the month as increased rains came, these problems became less threatening and improved the crops condition from fair to good during the last week. Tobacco growth was slow because of cool nights during early May. Some premature blooming was spotted. Growers were applying sidedressing and insecticides to offset yellowing and increasing pest numbers. During the latter part of the month, the crop received hail and excessive amounts of rainfall, which caused leaves to flop and the crop to receive a fair rating. Soybean growers planted their crop as weather permitted.

Peach harvest in the Ridge and Coastal areas was slightly ahead of last year. Because of earlier freeze very little was expected to be harvested out of the Piedmont. For peaches not ready for harvest, growers were busy thinning, spraying and irrigating to offset dry conditions. Overall condition of the crop was rated as fair.

By the second week harvesting of snap beans and cucumbers was active. Dry weather stress was evident as growers got more into their crops. All vegetables including melons were in fairly good condition during the month.

Small grain crops had good yields and averaged fair to good in condition despite some cases of powdery mildew and septoria in wheat and severe smut in oats. Harvesting was active throughout the month even though some of the grains, particularly barley, had high moisture content. Grain hay and pastures were in good condition.

JUNE: June temperatures averaged normal as rainfall averaged slightly above normal. Thunderstorms occurred every week bringing destructive hail and wind to many parts of the state.

While frequent showers helped the development of most crops, it was also noted as a hindrance in other ways. Corn, for example, was looking good, despite some wet areas that had not received nitrogen or insecticides to offset increasing nematode population. Heavy rains, hail and wind occurring almost every week caused damage to the crop in one form or another. In areas not receiving severe weather, cotton growers were spraying, sidedressing and cultivating. However, some major producing counties hit hard by hail during the mid-month period, reported 6,000 acres damaged with approximately 2,500 of this acreage totally destroyed. Overall condition of the crop was rated fair to good as it was developing well. At the start of the month, soybean planting was ahead of last year's pace, but slowly fell behind as a result of adverse weather. Double-crop soybeans planted behind small grains were halted because humid conditions prevented small grain harvest. In wet areas where cultivation was not possible, weeds were becoming a problem. Contrary to that, fields receiving post emergence herbicides seem to be holding weed growth to a minimum. Crop condition was good. Wet conditions in Horry and other eastern tobacco counties continued to have problems with flop. Increased rains delayed insecticide applications as populations increased for budworms and Japanese Beetles. Other problems included leaching of nitrogen and wind and hail which destroyed acreage in Dillon, Marlboro and Marion counties. Harvesting of the fairly good crop began the latter part of June.

South Carolina peach harvest continued at a good pace. Growers were picking Dixireds, Coronets, Junegolds and Redhavens in the Coastal Plains and Ridge, while a few Candors were gathered in the Piedmont. Quality was considered good as size was off a bit. Peach crop condition for the month was rated fair to good.

The harvesting of snap beans, cucumbers, tomatoes and melons made good progress, but was interrupted by showers. Crop prospects seemed good until frequent rains along with high humidity induced diseases such as gummy stem blight. Tomatoes were threatened by "tropical" rains, but remained in good condition. Small grain harvest, hampered by rains was producing high yields. Reports of wheat producing 35 to 50 bushels per acre and barley at 50 or better in one county. Some of the crop had considerable lodging and blown over by violent winds but statewide condition remained good.

JULY: July was mostly cooler and wetter than usual. Temperatures averaged 1 to 3 degrees below normal every week except the last when afternoon highs climbed into the 90's. Rainfall came in the form of showers and

thunderstorms every week, causing soil moisture to average adequate to wet.

Corn was looking real good as harvest began around the 15th. Growers were harvesting good yields and felt that the success of the crop was due to timely rainfall throughout the season. Increasing numbers of bollworms and boll weevils triggered more spraying. However, frequent showers interrupted air and land applications, giving bollworms a slight edge. Overall crop condition averaged fair to good. Also hampered by wet weather was the planting of soybeans. Much of the crop was planted behind small grains and in some cases was not planted at all as the acceptable planting time expired. Soybean cyst nematodes, corn earworms and weeds were spreading rapidly in areas with wet conditions. Despite adversities, the crop condition averaged good. Tobacco was coming off the stalk rapidly although wet fields made it difficult or impossible for some mechanical harvesters to enter. The quality of the leaf varied from poor to mostly good with yields lighter than usual due to excess rain this year. Auction markets opened on the 26th with good prices expected because of light volume.

During the month the Coastal Plains and Ridge areas were picking Blakes, Lorings, Redglobes, Jeffersons and Rio Oso Gems. A few Harvesters and Redskins were gathered in the Piedmont but volume was insignificant due to early season freezes. Peach conditions were rated fair as apples and grapes were in poor to fair condition. Harvesting of snap beans and tomatoes was completed by mid-July, signaling the planting of the fall crop. Watermelon and cantaloupe growers were nearly done with harvest by the end of the month. Some, discouraged at low prices and constant wet conditions left portions of their crop in the field.

Cutting of small grains was about to finish where weather and moisture permitted. Also hampered by weather was the harvesting of fall hay. Some of the crop in the process of curing was caught on the ground when overnight showers fell. The condition of the crop along with pastures were rated as good.

AUGUST: During the first part of August insect pressures increased as showers interrupted spray programs. Several counties across the state reported pest such as boll weevils, bollworms, budworms, corn earworms, and fall armyworms attacking various crops. Also, causing problems for some farmers were weeds and diseases especially in wet areas.

The general decrease in shower activity during the last half of August reduced available soil moisture as rainfall accumulations dropped to below normal for the year to date over much of the state. By the end of the month many areas across South Carolina reported drought stress in some crops. Frequent rains which fell almost daily up to mid August disappeared and the dry weather cut crop prospects for soybeans, cotton, fall vegetables and winter grazing. Not only did the absence of rain dampen the development of soybeans and cotton, but allowed loopers to increase feeding and cottonbolls to cut out. Other crops which have been recently planted will need additional rains to get off to a good start. County Extension Officials across the Palmetto State reported soil moisture which showed that 54 percent of the counties had short supplies, 35 percent adequate, 7 percent short to adequate and 4 percent very short.

Corn harvesting continues with good yields reported. The overall condition of the corn crop was rated as good. At the close of the month, some counties reported that insect pressures were mounting up in cotton while other producing areas have pests under control. Growers are taking measures to control bollworm and weevils by way of scouting and spraying. Considering the adverse effects the crop has been under, the condition of the cotton crop rated fair to good.

Tobacco stalks were destroyed in order to hold down diseases as harvesting was complete. The smallest apple crop since 1967 was harvested at a fast pace. Apple crop conditions were poor to fair. Bunch grapes had been harvested with most yields very low. Muscadine prospects look much better, rating fair to good. Fall hay and pasture growing conditions were fairly good at the end of August, but needed rain in many areas. Sorghum was being harvested and a good crop was reported. Spittlebug damage was reported in some coastal Bermuda grass.

SEPTEMBER: The first half of September was characterized by a general lack of adequate precipitation, causing soil moisture amounts to remain short throughout much of the state. Due to the dry conditions some farmers delayed the planting of winter pastures until the arrival of additional rainfall. The number of days suitable for field work during the first two weeks averaged about six per week. Activities included the harvesting of corn, fall hay, soybeans, sweet potatoes, apples, grapes and fall cucumbers.

Rainfall increased during the second half of the month, particularly in central and southern portions of the state. A good general rainfall occurred at most locations as a cold front pushed through South Carolina on the 26th and 27th.

Late planted soybeans benefited from the rainfall, but earlier varieties were still showing signs of drought stress. Condition of the crop was rated as fair overall.

Corn harvesting made good progress throughout the month, with many growers reporting yields of 100 bushels per acre. The excellent early summer growing conditions were credited for high yields; however, some producers were holding back their harvest due to depressed market prices.

The cotton crop was reported as opening too rapidly by the middle of the month, apparently due to moisture stress. Rains during the last ten days improved conditions, and by the end of September, the crop was rated from fair to good.

Peanut harvesters were beginning ahead of normal in Allendale County because of dry weather. Yields were reported as fair to good while crop conditions seemed fair.

By the end of the month, pecans were judged as fair to good, remaining soybeans were good, pastures were fair to good and livestock were generally in good condition.

OCTOBER: Mild temperatures persisted during the first two weeks of October over the Palmetto State, but dropped several degrees below normal the last half. Frost occurred one week early over scattered areas with poor air drainage. Rainfall occurred mostly as general showers from the 7th to the 14th and again from the 21st to 25th. The latter period of rain brought amounts ranging from 2 inches on the coast to 5 inches along the Northeastern border.

By the middle of October, general rainfall across the state had brought soil moisture back to adequate levels in most counties. Although precipitation limited field activities somewhat, the rainfall was especially welcomed by farmers interested in planting small grains and winter pastures. As the second full week ended, most of the corn crop had been harvested and acreage was being plowed under. Although rains limited the cotton harvest in some areas, yields and quality of the crop was reported as good. By mid-month, the soybean crop was showing signs of the later summer drought. Early harvested varieties in Allendale and Hampton counties were experiencing yields as low as 12 to 15 bushels per acre. Overall condition of the crop was fair.

At the end of October, soil moisture conditions were very much improved. The intense coastal low pressure system which brought large rainfall amounts to Eastern portions of the state hampered field activities and slowed the cotton harvest. As the month ended, 72% of the crop had been harvested, and conditions were rated as good to excellent. Soybean yields continued to be disappointing in early varieties. However, higher yields were expected from beans which were planted later in the season, thereby, escaping effects of the August/September dry period. Overall condition of the crop rated fair to good. Fall cucumbers and snap bean harvests were 80-90% complete, with conditions rated as poor to fair. Small grains and pastures were responding favorably to precipitation, and acreage planted continued to be ahead of the previous year.

NOVEMBER: Although November began and ended with warmer than usual weather, most of the first half of the month was quite cool with temperatures dropping to below freezing in Central and Western South Carolina several times. Statewide, it was the warmest November since 1979. Heavy rainfall in the mountain areas of the state mostly exceeded four inches. Elsewhere, precipitation amounts totaled near or below normal. Nevertheless, this was the wettest November since 1979.

The below freezing weather during the first week of November ended the growing season over western and central South Carolina for most summer crops. This year's corn yield was at a record high level with just a few remaining farmers now completing harvest. Cotton was 96 percent harvested compared to 99 percent last year, and a 94 percent five-year average. Cotton yields were expected to reach record high levels, averaging 733 pounds per acre or 66 pounds above the previous high set last year. At the end of November, the soybean harvest was 65 percent complete as compared to 85 percent last year, and yields were depressed due to the September drought. The November 1st estimate of 21 bushels per acre was down 1 from October, but up 1 bushel from last year's final yield. As the month ended the seeding of small grains continued. The preparation of tobacco beds was active.

DECEMBER: As the warming trend continued, December was noted as being the warmest in a decade; although there were brief periods of below normal temperatures around mid-month and again at the end of the period. On Christmas Day highs were in the 70's. Light rainfall kept soil moisture adequate and when accompanied with subfreezing temperatures late in the month, caused some weather related damages which were minor.

Damp, rainy weather hampered most field activities during the first three weeks of the month. Growers took advantage of dryer conditions during the fourth week for final cotton scragging and late soybean harvesting. Condition of small grains and winter grazing crops was reported as good. By month's end, fruit growers were becoming concerned with the below normal accumulation of chilling hours which resulted from unusually high December temperatures.

SOUTH CAROLINA: Acreage, Yield, Production and Value of Crops, 1981 and 1982

Crop--Unit	Planted Acres		Harvested Acres		Yield Per Harvested Acre		Production		Value of Production	
	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982
	----- Thou. Acres -----						---- Thou. ----		-- Thou. Dols. --	
Corn, all	645	390	623	384	--	--	--	--	--	--
Corn, grain--Bu.	--	--	570	340	58.0	90.0	33,060	30,600	85,956	78,030
Corn, silage--Ton	--	--	42	34	12.5	16.0	525	544	--	--
Corn, forage 1/--Ton	--	--	11	10	--	--	--	--	--	--
Wheat, winter--Bu.	430	580	410	550	35.0	36.0	14,350	19,800	46,638	55,440
Oats--Bu.	95	80	48	50	46.0	58.0	2,208	2,900	3,952	4,060
Barley--Bu.	30	36	27	33	43.0	50.0	1,161	1,650	2,775	2,970
Rye--Bu.	120	112	33	27	22.0	23.0	726	621	2,468	1,708
Hay, all-Ton	--	--	218	220	1.90	2.20	414	484	30,222	33,880
Hay, Coastal Bermuda-Ton	--	--	105	105	2.60	2.95	273	310	--	--
Sorghum, all	35	60	33	58	--	--	--	--	--	--
Sorghum, grain--Bu.	--	--	18	35	32.0	46.0	576	1,610	1,296	2,930
Sorghum, silage--Ton	--	--	14	19	10.0	12.0	140	228	--	--
Sorghum, forage--Ton	--	--	1	4	--	--	--	--	--	--
Peanuts, for nuts--Lb.	15.0	12.0	15.0	12.0	2,600	2,500	39,000	30,000	11,700	8,130
Soybeans, alone all purposes	1,600	1,900	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Soybeans, for beans--Bu.	--	--	1,550	1,850	20.0	22.0	31,000	40,700	191,270	231,990
Sweetpotatoes--Cwt.	3.5	4.5	3.5	4.0	95	125	333	500	5,927	5,850
Tobacco--Lb.	--	--	68.0	59.0	2,185	2,105	148,580	124,195	245,900	219,204
Cotton-Lb. & Bale	119	97	118	95	667	783	164	155	45,421	44,268
Cottonseed-Ton	--	--	--	--	--	--	62	58	5,487	3,654
Lespedeza (clean) seed - Lb.	--	--	6.5	--	125	--	813	--	699	--
Pecans, all-Lb.	--	--	--	--	--	--	8,900	2,000	4,881	1,568
Apples-- 2/--Lb.	--	--	--	--	--	--	36,000	6,000	2,801	653
Peaches-- 2/--Lb.	--	--	--	--	--	--	430,000	210,000	62,090	46,318
Tomatoes, Fresh Mkt. Cwt.	8.9	7.0	8.5	6.9	180	215	1,530	1,484	20,655	43,036
Watermelons - Cwt.	14.6	14.6	11.5	11.5	110	140	1,265	1,610	4,162	4,830
TOTAL 3/	--	--	3,173	3,365	--	--	--	--	774,300	788,519

1/Includes corn hogged, grazed, and that cut and fed without removing ears. 2/Value based on utilized production. 3/Rounded to nearest thousand.

UNITED STATES: Acreage, Yield, Production and Value of Crops, 1981 and 1982

Crop--Unit	Planted Acres		Harvested Acres		Yield per Harvested Acre		Production		Value of Production	
	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982
	----- Thou. Acres -----						----- Thou. -----		-- Thou. Dols. --	
Corn, all	84,156	81,909	83,233	81,346	--	--	--	--	--	--
Corn, grain--Bu.	--	--	74,700	73,152	109.8	114.8	8,201,598	8,397,334	20,503,995	22,252,935
Corn, silage--Ton	--	--	8,171	7,882	14.1	14.3	115,476	112,740	--	--
Corn, forage 1/--Ton	--	--	362	312	--	--	--	--	--	--
Wheat, winter--Bu.	65,974	66,351	58,647	58,347	35.9	36.1	2,103,538	2,108,246	7,677,914	7,378,861
Oats--Bu.	13,656	14,211	9,415	10,561	54.1	58.4	509,167	616,981	962,326	894,622
Barley--Bu.	9,748	9,634	9,158	9,113	52.3	57.3	479,333	522,387	1,174,366	1,128,356
Rye--Bu.	2,613	2,621	706	715	26.7	29.1	18,822	20,817	56,278	50,169
Hay, all-Ton	--	--	60,192	60,679	2.38	2.51	143,201	152,424	9,608,787	10,456,286
Sorghum, all	16,020	16,144	15,568	15,755	--	--	--	--	--	--
Sorghum, grain--Bu.	--	--	13,716	14,247	64.1	59.0	879,222	841,079	3,754,278	3,801,677
Sorghum, silage--Ton	--	--	772	581	12.1	12.3	9,312	7,167	--	--
Sorghum, forage--Ton	--	--	1,080	927	--	--	--	--	--	--
Peanuts, for nuts--Lb.	1,514.0	1,299.0	1,488.7	1,273.0	2,675	2,703	3,981,850	3,441,435	1,071,118	856,917
Soybeans, alone all purposes	67,810	72,162	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Soybeans, beans--Bu.	--	--	66,368	70,783	30.1	32.2	2,000,145	2,276,976	12,080,876	12,682,756
Sweetpotatoes--Cwt.	112.7	116.7	109.3	113.1	117	129	12,752	14,570	173,911	114,418
Tobacco--Lb.	--	--	976.0	903.5	2,114	2,171	2,063,611	1,961,941	3,520,413	3,497,705
Cotton-Lb. & Bale	14,330.1	11,499.0	13,841.2	9,905.6	543	582	15,645.7	12,018.8	4,075,403	3,343,070
Cottonseed-Ton	--	--	--	--	--	--	6,397	4,777	549,041	369,929
Lespedeza seed - Lb.	--	--	37,800	--	204	--	7,708	--	3,180	--
Pecans, all-Lb.	--	--	--	--	--	--	339,100	199,300	184,842	144,408
Apples--2/--Lb.	--	--	--	--	--	--	7,753,600	8,210,200	852,981	869,481
Peaches--2/--Lb.	--	--	--	--	--	--	2,782,600	2,292,600	353,306	303,556
Tomatoes, Fresh Mkt.-Cwt.	132.3	127.4	128.0	123.0	205	222	26,176	27,358	560,567	623,441
TOTAL 3/	--	--	357,630	319,617	--	--	--	--	67,163,582	68,768,587

1/Includes corn hogged, grazed, and that cut and fed without removing ears. 2/Value based on utilized production. 3/Rounded to nearest thousand.

1982 ANNUAL SUMMARY OF SOUTH CAROLINA
VEGETABLES AND MELONS FOR FRESH MARKET AND FOR PROCESSING

Yields for tomatoes and watermelons continued their upward trend in SOUTH CAROLINA.

Tomato acreage harvested was down 19 percent but production was down only 3 percent.

Value of tomato production more than doubled due to a sharp price increase realized by growers.

SOUTH CAROLINA'S planted and harvested watermelon acreage was unchanged from 1981.

Production increases offset lower prices received for watermelons as the statewide value of production increased 16 percent.

VEGETABLES AND MELONS FOR FRESH MARKET AND FOR PROCESSING: Acreage, Yield, Production, Price Per Cwt., And Value Of Production, South Carolina, 1981 and 1982

Crop	Acres Planted		Acres Harvested		Yield per Harvested Acre		Production		Value of Production	
	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982
	-----Acres-----				-----Cwt.-----		-----Thou. lbs.-----		-----Thou. dols.-----	
FRESH MARKET										
Cantaloups	3,700	1/	3,300	1/	39	1/	12,900	1/	968	1/
Cucumbers, Spring	4,000	1/	3,900	1/	88	1/	34,300	1/	3,406	1/
Cucumbers, Fall	650	1/	600	1/	75	1/	4,500	1/	500	1/
Snap Beans, Spring	2,700	1/	2,600	1/	25	1/	6,500	1/	1,268	1/
Snap Beans, Fall	1,500	1/	1,300	1/	23	1/	3,000	1/	852	1/
Tomatoes ^{2/}										
Spr. & Summer	8,900	7,000	8,500	6,900	180	215	153,000 ^{3/}	148,400	20,655	43,036
Watermelons ^{2/}	14,600	14,600	11,500	11,500	110	140	126,500 ^{3/}	161,000	4,162	4,830

Total Fresh Market	36,050	21,600	31,700	18,400	--	--	340,700	309,400	31,811	47,866

-----Tons-----										
PROCESSING ^{4/}										
Cucumbers, Pickles	10,500	1/	10,400	1/	2.65	1/	27,560	1/	5,016	1/

^{1/}Estimates discontinued after 1981.

^{2/}Tomato and watermelon surveys partially funded by Clemson University.

^{3/}Economic abandonment estimated at 24 million pounds for tomatoes and 9 million pounds for watermelons.

^{4/}Excludes small quantity of snap beans and tomatoes for processing.

SOUTH CAROLINA FARM NUMBERS CONTINUE DOWNWARD

The number of farms in SOUTH CAROLINA in 1981 totaled 34,000 down 1,000 from 1980. For 1982, farm numbers dropped another 3 percent to 33,000. Total land in farms was 6.3 million acres in 1981, down 2 percent from 1980. The preliminary estimate for 1982 land in farms is 6.1 million acres, down 3 percent. Average size of farm in 1982 is 185 acres - the same as 1981.

The number of farms in the UNITED STATES in 1981 totaled 2,434,000, up 0.2 percent from the 2,428,000 in 1980. For 1982 farm numbers decreased to 2,400,000 - down 1 percent from 1981. Total land in farms was 1,042 million acres in 1981 - down fractionally from 1980. The preliminary estimate for 1982 is 1,039 million acres, down 0.3 percent from 1981. Average size of farm for 1982 was 433 acres compared with 428 in 1981.

A farm is defined as a place which has annual sales of agricultural products of \$1,000 or more. The estimates based on this definition are available beginning with 1975.

NUMBER OF FARMS, LAND IN FARMS AND AVERAGE SIZE, SOUTH CAROLINA AND NATION

NUMBER OF FARMS, LAND IN FARMS AND AVERAGE SIZE, SOUTH CAROLINA AND NATION						
Year	Farms		Land in Farms		Average Size of Farm	
	Old Defi- nition 1/	New Defi- nition 2/	Old Defi- nition 1/	New Defi- nition 2/	Old Defi- nition 1/	New Defi- nition 2/
	----- Thousands		----- Thousand Acres		----- Acres	
<u>SOUTH CAROLINA</u>						
1955	115		11,500		100	
1960	86		10,000		116	
1965	65		9,100		140	
1970	52		8,300		160	
1971	51		8,200		161	
1972	48		8,000		167	
1973	46		7,800		170	
1974	45		7,700		171	
1975	45	36	7,700	6,800	171	189
1976	45	36	7,700	6,800	171	189
1977	45	36	7,700	6,700	171	186
1978	43	36	7,500	6,600	174	183
1979	4/	35	4/	6,500	4/	186
1980	4/	35	4/	6,400	4/	183
1981	4/	34	4/	6,300	4/	185
1982 3/	4/	33	4/	6,100	4/	185
<u>UNITED STATES</u>						
1965	3,356		1,139,597		340	
1966	3,257		1,131,844		348	
1967	3,162		1,123,456		355	
1968	3,071		1,115,231		363	
1969	3,000		1,107,811		369	
1970	2,949		1,102,371		374	
1971	2,902		1,096,863		378	
1972	2,860		1,092,065		382	
1973	2,823		1,087,923		385	
1974	2,795		1,084,433		388	
1975	2,767	2,491	1,081,448	1,062,723	391	427
1976	2,738	2,454	1,078,263	1,059,148	394	432
1977	2,706	2,456	1,075,003	1,047,785	397	427
1978	2,672	2,436	1,072,053	1,044,790	401	429
1979	4/	2,430	4/	1,043,195	4/	429
1980	4/	2,428	4/	1,042,245	4/	429
1981	4/	2,434	4/	1,042,100	4/	428
1982 3/	4/	2,400	4/	1,038,730	4/	433

1/Places of 10 or more acres that had annual sales of agricultural products of \$50 or more and places of less than 10 acres that had annual sales of \$250 or more. 2/Places with annual sales of agricultural products of \$1,000 or more. 3/Preliminary. 4/Series discontinued.

SOUTH CAROLINA: CROPS--Record Highs and Lows Through 1982

CROP	UNIT	Record High						Record Low					
		Acres Harvested		Yield per Acre		Production		Acres Harvested		Yield per Acre		Production	
		Year	Acres	Year	Yield	Year	Prod.	Year	Acres	Year	Yield	Year	Prod.
			Thou.				Thou.		Thou.				Thou
Corn, Grain	Bu.	1935	1,826	1982	90.0	1976	52,026	1982	340	1954	10.5	1954	10,070
Corn, Silage	Ton	1976	56	1982	16.0	1975	750	1926	1	1935	2.5	1926	6
Wheat	Bu.	1982	550	1971	38.0	1982	19,800	1930	38	1890	4.0	1908	273
Oats	Bu.	1944	707	1982	58.0	1946	18,753	1980	40	1871	8.0	1866	450
Barley	Bu.	1957	40	1982	50.0	1982	1,650	1936	2	1936	14.0	1936	28
Rye	Bu.	1974	39	1971	25.0	1974	780	1910	3	1874	2.5	1894	14
Hay, All	Ton	1942	766	1982	2.20	1949	687	1974	200	1925	0.24	1925	49
Sorghum, Grain	Bu.	1982	35	1982	46.0	1982	1,610	1945	1	1954	12.5	1944	16
Sorghum, Silage	Ton	1982	19	1982	12.0	1982	228	1930	1	1954	4.5	1930	6
Peanuts, Nuts	Lb.	1943	63	1981	2,600	1981	39,000	1921	6	1925	480	1921	3,750
Soybeans	Bu.	1982	1,850	1979	24.0	1982	40,700	1934	4	1926	5.0	1934	24
Sweetpotatoes	Cwt.	1943	79	1982	125	1943	3,780	1973	2	1881	19	1971	150
Tobacco	Lb.	1928	148	1962	2,265	1955	197,200	1889	2	1924	490	1889	1,130
Cotton 1/	Lb.	1918	2,821	1982	783	1911	1,649	1982	95	1866	102	1980	77
Cottonseed	Ton	--	--	--	--	1911	731	--	--	--	--	1980	30
Apples 2/	Lb.	--	--	--	--	1981	36,000	--	--	--	--	1966	4,100
Peaches	Lb.	--	--	--	--	1981	430,000	--	--	--	--	1955	Crop Failure
Pecans	Lb.	--	--	--	--	1963	11,500	--	--	--	--	1972	100

1/Production in bales. 2/Production estimates started in 1965. NOTE: In some cases the acreage or yield or production is identical for more than one year. In such cases the year shown is the latest year of occurrence.



WHEAT 1982
Planted Acres
1 Dot = 1,000 Acres



OATS 1982
Planted Acres
1 Dot = 100 Acres







SOYBEANS 1982
Planted Acres
1 Dot = 2,500 acres



TOBACCO 1982
Harvested Acres
1 Dot = 200 acres



COTTON: Acreage, Yield, Production and Value, by Counties, South Carolina, 1981

County	Acres Planted	Acres Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production 480 lb. net Weight bale	Value of Production
	----- Acres -----	----- Acres -----	--- Pounds ---	---- Bales ----	- Thou. dols. -
Abbeville 1/					
Aiken	1,490	1,470	728	2,220	615
Allendale	900	900	605	1,130	313
Anderson	440	410	293	250	69
Bamberg	230	230	412	200	55
Barnwell	850	850	429	760	211
Beaufort	---	---	---	---	---
Berkeley 1/					
Calhoun	9,900	9,900	811	16,700	4,625
Charleston	---	---	---	---	---
Cherokee	1,350	1,350	416	1,170	324
Chester	1,760	1,750	519	1,890	524
Chesterfield 1/					
Clarendon	3,200	3,200	615	4,100	1,136
Colleton	---	---	---	---	---
Darlington	7,000	6,700	680	9,500	2,631
Dillon	9,550	9,500	646	12,800	3,545
Dorchester	---	---	---	---	---
Edgefield 1/					
Fairfield	---	---	---	---	---
Florence	640	590	483	590	163
Georgetown	---	---	---	---	---
Greenville 1/					
Greenwood 1/					
Hampton 1/					
Horry	---	---	---	---	---
Jasper	---	---	---	---	---
Kershaw	540	540	547	610	169
Lancaster	---	---	---	---	---
Laurens	1,090	1,060	218	480	133
Lee	29,700	29,700	745	46,100	12,768
Lexington	400	400	568	480	133
McCormick 1/					
Marion	1,150	1,150	432	1,030	285
Marlboro	26,900	26,900	612	34,300	9,500
Newberry	---	---	---	---	---
Oconee	---	---	---	---	---
Orangeburg	4,800	4,800	773	7,750	2,146
Pickens	---	---	---	---	---
Richland 1/					
Saluda	405	400	1,099	915	253
Spartanburg	450	450	380	355	98
Sumter	12,300	12,000	600	15,000	4,154
Union	---	---	---	---	---
Williamsburg	155	155	559	175	49
York	2,550	2,410	787	3,950	1,094
Other Counties	1,250	1,185	620	1,545	428
STATE	119,000	118,000	667	164,000	45,421

1/Included in other counties

COTTON: Acreage, Yield, Production and Value, by Counties, South Carolina, 1982

County	Acres Planted	Acres Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production 480 lb. net Weight bale	Value of Production
	----- Acres -----		--- Pounds ---	----- Bales -----	--- Thou. dols. ---
Abbeville 1/					
Aiken	1,200	1,200	925	2,300	657
Allendale	785	780	695	1,130	323
Anderson	1,060	1,050	567	1,240	354
Bamberg 1/					
Barnwell	740	735	724	1,100	314
Beaufort	---	---	---	---	---
Berkeley	---	---	---	---	---
Calhoun	6,900	6,700	924	12,900	3,684
Charleston	---	---	---	---	---
Cherokee	810	805	616	1,030	294
Chester	1,340	1,330	473	1,310	374
Chesterfield 1/					
Clarendon	2,350	2,350	830	4,050	1,157
Colleton	---	---	---	---	---
Darlington	5,200	5,100	787	8,350	2,385
Dillon	5,650	5,200	795	8,600	2,456
Dorchester	---	---	---	---	---
Edgefield 1/					
Fairfield	---	---	---	---	---
Florence	370	330	636	435	124
Georgetown	---	---	---	---	---
Greenville 1/					
Greenwood 1/					
Hampton	1,190	1,180	575	1,410	403
Horry	---	---	---	---	---
Jasper	---	---	---	---	---
Kershaw	480	480	698	700	200
Lancaster	---	---	---	---	---
Laurens	720	720	406	610	174
Lee	28,000	28,000	843	49,200	14,052
Lexington	335	335	667	465	133
McCormick	---	---	---	---	---
Marion	580	575	461	550	157
Marlboro	20,500	19,500	776	31,500	8,995
Newberry	---	---	---	---	---
Oconee	---	---	---	---	---
Orangeburg	3,380	3,380	939	6,600	1,885
Pickens	---	---	---	---	---
Richland 1/					
Saluda	335	285	1,241	735	211
Spartanburg	545	540	444	500	143
Sumter	10,700	10,600	668	14,800	4,227
Union	---	---	---	---	---
Williamsburg	475	470	586	570	163
York	2,190	2,190	712	3,250	928
Other Counties	1,165	1,165	685	1,665	475
STATE	97,000	95,000	783	155,000	44,268

1/Included in other counties

CORN: Acreage, Yield, Production and Value, by Counties, South Carolina, 1981

County	Acres Planted For All Purposes	Acres Harvested For Grain	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production for Grain	Value of Production
	----- Acres -----		----- Bushels -----		--- Thou. dols. ---
Abbeville	900	450	29.1	13,100	34
Aiken	8,700	6,800	56.2	382,200	994
Allendale	20,500	19,500	58.0	1,131,000	2,941
Anderson	6,350	4,200	34.5	144,900	377
Bamberg	23,000	20,500	52.0	1,066,000	2,772
Barnwell	11,800	11,400	57.0	649,800	1,689
Beaufort	3,250	2,900	51.2	148,500	386
Berkeley	15,800	15,400	48.0	739,200	1,922
Calhoun	16,600	15,800	75.8	1,197,600	3,114
Charleston	4,850	4,600	74.9	344,500	896
Cherokee	900	500	53.4	26,700	69
Chester	2,600	950	60.4	57,400	149
Chesterfield	9,500	5,700	46.6	265,600	691
Clarendon	45,300	42,500	71.7	3,047,300	7,923
Colleton	22,200	21,400	55.0	1,177,000	3,060
Darlington	21,400	19,600	40.5	793,800	2,064
Dillon	15,500	15,200	71.0	1,079,200	2,806
Dorchester	14,500	13,500	59.0	796,500	2,071
Edgefield	1,300	900	36.0	32,400	84
Fairfield	700	500	63.4	31,700	82
Florence	42,300	39,400	50.7	1,997,600	5,194
Georgetown	7,800	6,900	41.6	287,000	746
Greenville	6,400	3,700	42.1	155,800	405
Greenwood	750	300	26.0	7,800	20
Hampton	24,700	23,800	60.0	1,428,000	3,713
Horry	43,400	41,300	55.7	2,300,400	5,981
Jasper	6,400	5,400	49.9	269,500	701
Kershaw	4,800	3,950	45.5	179,700	467
Lancaster	1,500	1,300	65.6	85,300	222
Laurens	3,600	1,350	28.7	38,700	101
Lee	21,800	19,300	58.1	1,121,300	2,915
Lexington	6,700	5,900	57.5	339,300	882
McCormick	200	100	26.0	2,600	7
Marion	15,600	14,700	61.9	909,900	2,366
Marlboro	13,100	12,300	48.6	597,800	1,554
Newberry	9,100	2,900	50.1	145,300	378
Oconee	1,950	850	35.3	30,000	78
Orangeburg	73,000	61,200	67.7	4,143,200	10,772
Pickens	2,100	1,500	40.0	60,000	156
Richland	8,000	7,100	74.7	530,400	1,379
Saluda	3,450	1,850	65.2	120,600	314
Spartanburg	4,300	2,700	65.0	175,500	456
Sumter	42,800	39,100	64.6	2,525,900	6,567
Union	600	300	44.7	13,400	35
Williamsburg	52,300	48,800	48.6	2,371,700	6,166
York	2,700	1,700	58.2	98,900	257
STATE	645,000	570,000	58.0	33,060,000	85,956

CORN: Acreage, Yield, Production and Value, by Counties, South Carolina, 1982

County	Acres Planted For All Purposes	Acres Harvested For Grain	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production for Grain	Value of Production
	----- Acres -----		----- Bushels -----		----- Thou. dols. -----
Abbeville	600	500	62.6	31,300	80
Aiken	5,600	4,600	83.4	383,600	978
Allendale	10,100	9,200	89.9	827,100	2,109
Anderson	4,200	3,200	80.7	258,200	658
Bamberg	17,200	14,900	81.3	1,211,400	3,089
Barnwell	8,400	7,800	73.7	574,900	1,466
Beaufort	1,550	1,300	67.0	87,100	222
Berkeley	7,500	6,700	79.3	531,300	1,355
Calhoun	12,000	11,300	93.4	1,055,400	2,691
Charleston	2,300	2,100	64.9	136,300	348
Cherokee	600	400	80.8	32,300	82
Chester	1,700	1,300	97.8	127,100	324
Chesterfield	4,500	4,050	74.6	302,100	770
Clarendon	28,700	26,200	111.3	2,916,100	7,436
Colleton	15,200	14,000	87.4	1,223,600	3,120
Darlington	12,200	10,900	97.0	1,057,300	2,696
Dillon	11,200	10,800	97.0	1,047,600	2,671
Dorchester	8,950	7,800	83.3	649,700	1,657
Edgefield	1,000	950	74.1	70,400	180
Fairfield	350	300	69.7	20,900	53
Florence	21,800	20,200	93.0	1,878,600	4,790
Georgetown	3,700	3,400	85.3	290,000	740
Greenville	3,600	1,600	78.6	125,800	321
Greenwood	600	400	47.0	18,800	48
Hampton	18,500	17,000	86.3	1,467,100	3,741
Horry	20,900	20,000	81.7	1,634,000	4,167
Jasper	3,400	2,700	76.1	205,500	524
Kershaw	3,900	3,600	95.7	344,500	879
Lancaster	1,150	1,000	89.7	89,700	229
Laurens	2,000	750	62.8	47,100	120
Lee	11,500	10,600	77.5	821,500	2,095
Lexington	4,500	3,800	76.9	292,200	745
McCormick	200	150	40.0	6,000	15
Marion	8,200	7,750	98.6	764,100	1,949
Marlboro	7,400	6,900	94.1	649,300	1,656
Newberry	7,000	4,200	75.1	315,400	804
Oconee	1,300	650	83.8	54,500	139
Orangeburg	43,400	34,000	97.9	3,328,600	8,488
Pickens	1,100	800	75.3	60,200	154
Richland	6,200	5,700	97.3	554,600	1,414
Saluda	3,100	1,900	91.3	173,500	442
Spartanburg	3,900	1,600	85.9	137,400	350
Sumter	31,400	28,100	90.2	2,534,600	6,463
Union	500	300	81.7	24,500	63
Williamsburg	25,100	23,700	91.9	2,178,000	5,554
York	1,800	900	67.7	60,800	155
STATE	390,000	340,000	90.0	30,600,000	78,030

WHEAT: Acreage, Yield, Production and Value, by Counties, South Carolina, 1981

County	Acres Planted For All Purposes	Acres Harvested For Grain	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production for Grain	Value of Production
	----- Acres -----		----- Bushels -----		---- Thou. dols. ----
Abbeville	2,500	2,450	32.0	78,400	255
Aiken	7,950	7,150	36.2	258,800	841
Allendale	8,000	7,900	39.9	315,200	1,024
Anderson	18,400	17,600	32.4	570,200	1,853
Bamberg	11,300	10,800	32.4	349,900	1,137
Barnwell	9,900	9,300	31.4	292,000	949
Beaufort	1,650	1,650	37.9	62,500	203
Berkeley	4,050	3,650	34.9	127,400	414
Calhoun	17,100	16,500	37.7	622,100	2,022
Charleston	4,700	4,500	29.9	134,600	437
Cherokee	3,200	2,950	33.9	100,000	325
Chester	2,500	2,250	33.8	76,000	247
Chesterfield	7,300	7,200	36.7	264,200	859
Clarendon	21,800	21,300	39.1	832,800	2,707
Colleton	3,800	3,700	28.8	106,600	346
Darlington	39,900	38,400	33.3	1,278,700	4,158
Dillon	24,600	24,000	33.2	796,800	2,590
Dorchester	2,250	2,200	27.8	61,200	199
Edgefield	4,100	4,050	45.1	182,700	594
Fairfield	400	300	30.7	9,200	30
Florence	21,500	21,200	32.2	682,600	2,218
Georgetown	1,950	1,750	31.7	55,500	180
Greenville	2,550	2,150	31.2	67,100	218
Greenwood	1,950	1,700	33.7	57,300	186
Hampton	9,950	9,900	42.9	424,700	1,380
Horry	4,700	4,350	29.7	129,200	420
Jasper	600	500	38.8	19,400	63
Kershaw	6,950	6,600	35.3	233,000	757
Lancaster	1,750	1,700	40.9	69,500	226
Laurens	8,800	8,400	33.4	280,600	912
Lee	25,500	25,200	35.2	887,000	2,883
Lexington	8,700	8,500	30.6	260,100	845
McCormick	450	400	24.5	9,800	32
Marion	9,050	8,900	33.5	298,200	969
Marlboro	13,500	13,300	31.7	421,600	1,370
Newberry	9,800	8,350	39.4	329,000	1,069
Oconee	2,050	1,850	35.5	65,700	214
Orangeburg	31,800	31,100	35.2	1,094,700	3,558
Pickens	1,700	1,400	27.4	38,400	125
Richland	7,600	6,600	38.1	251,400	817
Saluda	9,450	7,500	34.6	259,500	843
Spartanburg	7,700	7,100	34.5	245,000	796
Sumter	19,700	18,700	39.2	733,000	2,382
Union	300	250	36.4	9,100	30
Williamsburg	20,200	19,700	36.7	723,000	2,350
York	6,400	5,050	36.9	186,300	605
STATE	430,000	410,000	35.0	14,350,000	46,638

WHEAT: Acreage, Yield, Production and Value, by Counties, South Carolina, 1982

County	Acres Planted For All Purposes	Acres Harvested For Grain	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production for Grain	Value of Production
	----- Acres -----		----- Bushels -----		--- Thou. dols. ---
Abbeville	3,800	3,600	33.3	119,900	336
Aiken	9,200	8,600	33.7	289,800	811
Allendale	17,700	17,300	37.4	647,000	1,812
Anderson	18,800	17,200	35.0	602,000	1,686
Bamberg	14,500	13,600	29.9	406,600	1,138
Barnwell	14,200	13,500	33.6	453,600	1,270
Beaufort	5,100	4,900	38.9	190,600	534
Berkeley	6,700	6,300	33.9	213,600	598
Calhoun	18,700	18,100	33.6	608,200	1,703
Charleston	5,100	4,800	37.9	181,900	509
Cherokee	4,500	4,200	33.4	140,300	393
Chester	3,650	3,300	36.0	118,800	333
Chesterfield	11,500	11,000	32.6	358,600	1,004
Clarendon	31,500	31,000	38.5	1,193,500	3,342
Colleton	7,400	6,700	39.9	267,300	748
Darlington	48,200	47,300	37.9	1,792,700	5,020
Dillon	29,700	29,300	35.5	1,040,200	2,913
Dorchester	3,200	3,100	36.4	112,800	316
Edgefield	3,800	3,500	49.1	171,900	481
Fairfield	500	350	34.0	11,900	33
Florence	33,900	32,700	34.0	1,111,800	3,113
Georgetown	5,500	5,000	35.6	178,000	498
Greenville	3,450	2,550	31.0	79,100	221
Greenwood	1,900	1,800	40.8	73,400	206
Hampton	15,900	15,200	41.1	624,700	1,749
Horry	13,500	13,000	35.5	461,500	1,292
Jasper	1,300	1,200	37.9	45,500	127
Kershaw	8,450	7,600	38.0	288,800	809
Lancaster	2,100	1,900	39.1	74,300	208
Laurens	10,300	8,800	30.4	267,500	749
Lee	28,000	27,500	36.0	990,000	2,772
Lexington	9,500	9,100	36.1	328,500	920
McCormick	400	400	26.5	10,600	30
Marion	15,200	14,800	40.4	597,900	1,674
Marlboro	15,600	15,400	36.1	555,900	1,557
Newberry	10,400	8,200	42.5	348,500	976
Oconee	2,300	1,800	33.8	60,800	170
Orangeburg	46,000	45,000	35.7	1,606,500	4,498
Pickens	2,000	1,900	25.4	48,300	135
Richland	8,000	7,200	41.0	295,200	827
Saluda	11,400	9,500	37.9	360,100	1,008
Spartanburg	8,400	7,000	26.9	188,300	527
Sumter	21,200	20,200	40.2	812,000	2,274
Union	750	550	31.5	17,300	48
Williamsburg	39,300	37,700	33.0	1,244,100	3,483
York	7,500	6,350	33.1	210,200	589
STATE	580,000	550,000	36.0	19,800,000	55,440

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Abbeville	3,650	1,550	42.2	65,400	117
Aiken	1,000	750	45.3	34,000	61
Allendale	750	250	36.2	9,050	16
Anderson	7,050	3,050	40.9	124,700	223
Bamberg	3,600	2,250	53.3	119,900	215
Barnwell	1,450	800	40.4	32,300	58
Beaufort	250	100	40.0	4,000	7
Berkeley	1,150	300	30.2	9,050	16
Calhoun	1,150	900	42.6	38,300	69
Charleston	150	50	40.0	2,000	4
Cherokee	750	200	51.0	10,200	18
Chester	2,650	800	43.3	34,600	62
Chesterfield	1,100	700	42.3	29,600	53
Clarendon	550	250	52.0	13,000	23
Colleton	1,900	800	48.3	38,600	69
Darlington	5,400	3,350	58.3	195,300	350
Dillon	800	400	60.3	24,100	43
Dorchester	850	300	40.3	12,100	22
Edgefield	1,300	600	60.7	36,400	65
Fairfield	500	100	42.0	4,200	7
Florence	3,200	2,250	40.2	90,500	162
Georgetown 1/					
Greenville	1,500	350	36.9	12,900	23
Greenwood	2,250	500	44.2	22,100	40
Hampton	1,550	600	47.3	28,400	51
Horry	2,450	1,000	32.2	32,200	58
Jasper 1/					
Kershaw	850	600	50.7	30,400	54
Lancaster	1,700	1,300	49.5	64,400	115
Laurens	4,500	2,400	63.2	151,700	271
Lee	1,650	850	61.4	52,200	93
Lexington	950	550	33.1	18,200	33
McCormick	1,550	450	36.0	16,200	29
Marion	2,000	900	30.1	27,100	48
Marlboro	4,350	3,100	38.2	118,400	212
Newberry	4,500	1,700	59.7	101,500	182
Oconee	1,500	450	35.8	16,100	29
Orangeburg	5,600	3,200	39.7	127,000	227
Pickens	1,050	400	35.8	14,300	26
Richland	1,700	950	37.8	35,900	64
Saluda	2,450	1,050	44.3	46,500	83
Spartanburg	4,000	2,500	66.4	166,000	297
Sumter	4,600	3,400	37.8	128,500	230
Union	950	350	40.9	14,300	26
Williamsburg	900	650	37.1	24,100	43
York	3,100	900	31.7	28,500	51
Other Counties	150	100	38.0	3,800	7
STATE	95,000	48,000	46.0	2,208,000	3,952

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	----- Acres -----		----- Bushels -----		---- Thou. dols. ----
Abbeville	2,800	1,250	50.6	63,300	87
Aiken	900	600	51.7	31,000	43
Allendale	2,150	1,850	60.9	112,700	158
Anderson	6,850	3,850	48.7	187,500	263
Bamberg	3,900	3,300	56.9	187,800	263
Barnwell	1,050	650	60.8	39,500	55
Beaufort	250	150	52.7	7,900	11
Berkeley	900	400	35.5	14,200	20
Calhoun	1,200	1,050	52.2	54,800	77
Charleston	150	100	41.0	4,100	6
Cherokee	450	200	50.0	10,000	14
Chester	1,600	550	58.2	32,000	45
Chesterfield	1,000	850	49.9	42,400	59
Clarendon	1,000	500	52.2	26,100	37
Colleton	2,900	2,150	45.7	98,300	138
Darlington	2,600	2,200	78.2	172,000	241
Dillon	750	700	83.4	58,400	82
Dorchester	750	550	45.6	25,100	35
Edgefield	1,250	800	56.8	45,400	64
Fairfield	450	150	50.0	7,500	11
Florence	1,750	1,400	64.6	90,400	127
Georgetown	150	100	52.0	5,200	7
Greenville	1,500	850	53.8	45,700	64
Greenwood	1,750	600	58.7	35,200	49
Hampton	1,000	650	38.6	25,100	35
Horry	4,400	3,550	81.3	288,600	404
Jasper	150	100	41.0	4,100	6
Kershaw	900	550	72.7	40,000	56
Lancaster	1,200	850	67.1	57,000	80
Laurens	4,150	2,550	53.8	137,200	192
Lee	1,300	1,000	73.2	73,200	102
Lexington	800	450	56.4	25,400	36
McCormick	950	300	48.7	14,600	20
Marion	1,050	750	72.9	54,700	77
Marlboro	2,300	1,650	54.2	89,400	125
Newberry	3,550	1,400	54.6	76,400	107
Oconee	1,450	450	54.7	24,600	34
Orangeburg	3,750	2,400	49.1	117,800	165
Pickens	700	250	40.0	10,000	14
Richland	1,300	950	57.5	54,600	76
Saluda	3,200	1,550	56.6	87,700	123
Spartanburg	2,400	1,100	48.8	53,700	75
Sumter	3,050	2,550	62.7	159,900	224
Union	900	450	44.9	20,200	28
Williamsburg	900	700	54.1	37,900	53
York	2,550	1,000	51.4	51,400	72
STATE	80,000	50,000	58.0	2,900,000	4,060

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Abbeville	450	400	48.3	19,300	46
Aiken	350	300	40.0	12,000	29
Allendale 1/					
Anderson	5,600	5,200	44.7	232,400	555
Bamberg	100	100	46.0	4,600	11
Barnwell 1/					
Beaufort 1/					
Berkeley 1/					
Calhoun	1,050	1,000	31.9	31,900	76
Charleston 1/					
Cherokee	1,000	950	37.9	36,000	86
Chester	150	120	30.0	3,600	9
Chesterfield	800	700	41.7	29,200	70
Clarendon	350	300	36.7	11,000	26
Colleton	100	100	31.0	3,100	7
Darlington	250	200	44.0	8,800	21
Dillon	100	90	42.2	3,800	9
Dorchester	100	100	40.0	4,000	10
Edgefield	150	120	39.2	4,700	11
Fairfield 1/					
Florence	200	160	50.0	8,000	19
Georgetown 1/					
Greenville	2,000	1,800	33.9	61,000	146
Greenwood	200	170	39.4	6,700	16
Hampton	150	150	35.3	5,300	13
Horry 1/					
Jasper 1/					
Kershaw	150	120	33.3	4,000	9
Lancaster	150	120	25.0	3,000	7
Laurens	3,000	2,750	48.0	132,000	315
Lee	150	130	34.6	4,500	11
Lexington	500	450	50.0	22,500	54
McCormick 1/					
Marion	350	300	43.0	12,900	31
Marlboro	550	500	46.6	23,300	56
Newberry	2,500	2,300	52.5	120,800	289
Oconee	900	800	51.3	41,000	98
Orangeburg	550	500	48.0	24,000	57
Pickens	500	450	48.2	21,700	52
Richland	650	570	45.3	25,800	62
Saluda	900	670	47.3	31,700	76
Spartanburg	2,900	2,650	43.9	116,300	288
Sumter	850	750	29.3	22,000	53
Union	600	500	48.0	24,000	57
Williamsburg 1/					
York	1,300	1,100	28.2	31,000	74
Other Counties	400	380	39.7	15,100	36
STATE	30,000	27,000	43.0	1,161,000	2,775

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Abbeville	900	850	56.4	47,900	86
Aiken	400	350	41.7	14,600	26
Allendale 1/					
Anderson	6,100	5,800	52.0	301,600	543
Bamberg	250	250	46.8	11,700	21
Barnwell 1/					
Beaufort 1/					
Berkeley	100	100	36.5	3,650	7
Calhoun	1,000	950	44.9	42,700	77
Charleston 1/					
Cherokee	1,100	1,050	56.3	59,100	106
Chester	200	150	46.0	6,900	12
Chesterfield	550	500	53.0	26,500	48
Clarendon	350	350	44.9	15,700	28
Colleton 1/					
Darlington	250	250	58.4	14,600	26
Dillon	100	100	61.0	6,100	11
Dorchester 1/					
Edgefield	550	500	47.0	23,500	42
Fairfield 1/					
Florence	150	150	74.0	11,100	20
Georgetown 1/					
Greenville	3,000	2,700	61.2	165,200	297
Greenwood	550	500	44.8	22,400	40
Hampton	100	100	36.5	3,650	7
Horry 1/					
Jasper 1/					
Kershaw	250	250	46.0	11,500	21
Lancaster	200	150	51.3	7,700	14
Laurens	4,500	4,050	46.9	189,900	342
Lee	150	150	50.0	7,500	14
Lexington	500	450	44.9	20,200	36
McCormick	200	200	44.0	8,800	16
Marion	200	200	58.0	11,600	21
Marlboro	1,300	1,250	58.2	72,700	131
Newberry	2,800	2,450	49.9	122,300	220
Oconee	800	700	56.1	39,300	71
Orangeburg	600	600	42.8	25,700	46
Pickens	400	350	51.1	17,900	32
Richland	800	800	49.8	39,800	72
Saluda	1,000	850	44.8	38,100	69
Spartanburg	3,200	2,800	40.8	114,200	206
Sumter	800	800	44.8	35,800	65
Union	800	650	46.9	30,500	55
Williamsburg 1/					
York	1,400	1,200	51.0	61,200	110
Other Counties	450	450	40.9	18,400	32
STATE	36,000	33,000	50.0	1,650,000	2,970

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	----- Acres -----		----- Bushels -----		----- Thou. dols. -----
Abbeville 1/					
Aiken	7,150	1,200	24.4	29,300	100
Allendale	7,200	1,800	23.4	42,100	143
Anderson	550	140	17.9	2,500	9
Bamberg	10,800	1,700	26.5	45,000	153
Barnwell	2,050	400	27.5	11,000	37
Beaufort	500	100	25.0	2,500	9
Berkeley 1/					
Calhoun	1,400	300	20.3	6,100	21
Charleston	650	100	18.0	1,800	6
Cherokee 1/					
Chester 1/					
Chesterfield	17,600	7,550	16.4	123,800	421
Clarendon	1,350	500	17.2	8,600	29
Colleton	2,350	750	29.5	22,100	75
Darlington	13,000	3,500	22.0	77,000	262
Dillon	1,200	500	19.4	9,700	33
Dorchester	750	150	22.7	3,400	12
Edgefield	1,200	300	23.3	7,000	24
Fairfield 1/					
Florence	750	200	18.0	3,600	12
Georgetown 1/					
Greenville 1/					
Greenwood 1/					
Hampton	10,200	3,700	26.5	98,000	333
Horry	950	400	14.5	5,800	20
Jasper	2,150	550	25.5	14,000	48
Kershaw	2,700	600	20.3	12,200	41
Lancaster 1/					
Laurens 1/					
Lee	900	150	18.0	2,700	9
Lexington	7,650	2,700	21.5	58,000	197
McCormick 1/					
Marion	850	200	29.0	5,800	20
Marlboro	2,800	950	14.8	14,100	48
Newberry 1/					
Oconee 1/					
Orangeburg	11,100	2,000	28.0	56,000	190
Pickens 1/					
Richland	500	100	33.0	3,300	11
Saluda	2,100	200	32.0	6,400	22
Spartanburg 1/					
Sumter	4,700	1,050	25.8	27,100	92
Union 1/					
Williamsburg	850	200	23.0	4,600	16
York 1/					
Other Counties	4,050	1,010	22.3	22,500	75
STATE	120,000	33,000	22.0	726,000	2,468

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	----- Acres -----		----- Bushels -----		----- Thou. dols. -----
Abbeville 1/ Aiken	5,350	900	19.6	17,600	48
Allendale	5,050	1,300	26.0	33,800	93
Anderson	650	100	22.0	2,200	6
Bamberg	8,600	1,550	25.0	38,800	107
Barnwell	2,300	400	21.0	8,400	23
Beaufort 1/ Berkeley 1/ Calhoun	1,500	500	21.2	10,600	29
Charleston	500	100	23.0	2,300	6
Cherokee 1/ Chester 1/ Chesterfield	15,000	7,100	20.0	142,000	390
Clarendon	1,200	250	24.8	6,200	17
Colleton	2,100	300	24.0	7,200	20
Darlington	15,600	4,100	23.9	98,000	269
Dillon	1,100	450	28.4	12,800	35
Dorchester	700	100	20.0	2,000	6
Edgefield	1,400	200	21.5	4,300	12
Fairfield 1/ Florence	1,150	250	26.4	6,600	18
Georgetown 1/ Greenville 1/ Greenwood 1/ Hampton	8,300	2,100	24.9	52,300	144
Horry	1,200	250	22.0	5,500	15
Jasper	2,700	400	25.0	10,000	27
Kershaw	2,450	400	20.0	8,000	22
Lancaster 1/ Laurens 1/ Lee	700	200	20.5	4,100	11
Lexington	8,100	1,950	22.2	43,300	119
McCormick 1/ Marion	1,050	150	26.7	4,000	11
Marlboro	2,750	600	22.2	13,300	37
Newberry 1/ Oconee 1/ Orangeburg	9,800	1,300	27.2	35,400	97
Pickens 1/ Richland 1/ Saluda	2,350	300	25.7	7,700	21
Spartanburg 1/ Sumter	4,400	650	30.0	19,500	54
Union 1/ Williamsburg	850	200	29.5	5,900	16
York 1/ Other Counties	5,150	900	21.3	19,200	55
STATE	112,000	27,000	23.0	621,000	1,708

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County	Acres Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Value of Production
	----- Acres -----	----- Tons -----	----- Tons -----	----- Thou. dols. -----
Abbeville	6,000	1.28	7,700	562
Aiken	7,000	2.17	15,200	1,110
Allendale	1,700	3.00	5,100	372
Anderson	13,100	1.34	17,600	1,285
Bamberg	3,400	2.62	8,900	650
Barnwell	4,200	2.88	12,100	883
Beaufort	1,100	2.00	2,200	161
Berkeley	1,700	1.53	2,600	190
Calhoun	2,900	2.76	8,000	584
Charleston	1,100	2.91	3,200	234
Cherokee	4,800	1.00	4,800	350
Chester	5,300	1.64	8,700	635
Chesterfield	5,600	1.96	11,000	803
Clarendo	800	3.38	2,700	197
Colleton	4,100	2.12	8,700	635
Darlington	4,800	1.96	9,400	686
Dillon	1,500	3.53	5,300	387
Dorchester	2,300	2.30	5,300	387
Edgefield	3,800	1.13	4,300	314
Fairfield	4,900	1.08	5,300	387
Florence	900	2.56	2,300	168
Georgetown	300	3.00	900	66
Greenville	8,100	1.09	8,800	642
Greenwood	5,900	1.39	8,200	599
Hampton	4,400	2.86	12,600	920
Horry	1,600	2.13	3,400	248
Jasper	1,200	4.00	4,800	350
Kershaw	3,200	2.19	7,000	511
Lancaster	4,800	1.44	6,900	504
Laurens	12,300	1.24	15,200	1,110
Lee	2,700	2.22	6,000	438
Lexington	6,600	3.53	23,300	1,701
McCormick	1,500	1.07	1,600	117
Marion	1,800	1.89	3,400	248
Marlboro	5,700	2.53	14,400	1,051
Newberry	12,900	2.12	27,300	1,993
Oconee	5,900	1.24	7,300	533
Orangeburg	9,700	3.18	30,800	2,249
Pickens	4,300	1.19	5,100	372
Richland	4,000	2.03	8,100	591
Saluda	12,400	2.08	25,800	1,883
Spartanburg	9,400	1.14	10,700	781
Sumter	4,200	3.29	13,800	1,007
Union	4,200	1.19	5,100	372
Williamsburg	700	2.00	1,400	102
York	9,100	1.29	11,700	854
STATE	218,000	1.90	414,000	30,222

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	----- Acres -----	----- Tons -----	----- Tons -----	----- Thou. dols. -----
Abbeville	7,200	1.79	12,900	903
Aiken	6,200	2.39	14,800	1,036
Allendale	2,000	4.40	8,800	616
Anderson	14,400	1.48	21,300	1,491
Bamberg	3,800	3.45	13,100	917
Barnwell	4,700	3.02	14,200	994
Beaufort	1,100	2.27	2,500	175
Berkeley	1,500	1.60	2,400	168
Calhoun	3,200	2.94	9,400	658
Charleston	800	3.25	2,600	182
Cherokee	4,700	1.19	5,600	392
Chester	5,900	1.71	10,100	707
Chesterfield	5,500	2.60	14,300	1,001
Clarendon	800	4.50	3,600	252
Colleton	3,800	2.68	10,200	714
Darlington	4,700	2.09	9,800	686
Dillon	1,600	3.69	5,900	413
Dorchester	2,000	2.45	4,900	343
Edgefield	4,000	2.08	8,300	581
Fairfield	4,800	1.60	7,700	539
Florence	700	3.70	2,600	182
Georgetown	300	2.33	700	49
Greenville	8,800	1.40	12,300	861
Greenwood	5,900	1.88	11,100	777
Hampton	3,400	4.50	15,300	1,071
Horry	1,300	2.08	2,700	189
Jasper	1,000	3.80	3,800	266
Kershaw	3,500	3.23	11,300	791
Lancaster	4,400	1.68	7,400	518
Laurens	12,600	1.58	19,900	1,393
Lee	2,300	2.74	6,300	441
Lexington	7,000	3.07	21,500	1,505
McCormick	1,900	1.47	2,800	196
Marion	1,800	3.17	5,700	399
Marlboro	4,800	2.67	12,800	896
Newberry	13,500	1.98	26,700	1,869
Oconee	6,300	1.63	10,300	721
Orangeburg	7,800	3.63	28,300	1,981
Pickens	4,500	1.13	5,100	357
Richland	3,200	2.09	6,700	469
Saluda	12,400	2.97	36,800	2,576
Spartanburg	10,300	1.89	19,500	1,365
Sumter	4,000	2.50	10,000	700
Union	4,400	1.30	5,700	399
Williamsburg	800	2.25	1,800	126
York	10,400	1.39	14,500	1,015
STATE	220,000	2.20	484,000	33,880

SORGHUMS: Acreage, Yield, Production and Value, by Counties, South Carolina, 1981

County	Acres Planted For All Purposes	Acres Harvested For Grain	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production for Grain	Value of Production For Grain
	----- Acres -----		----- Bushels -----		--- Thou. dols. ---
Abbeville	450	250	25.2	6,300	14
Aiken	450	100	33.0	3,300	7
Allendale	900	600	24.5	14,700	34
Anderson	3,400	2,000	24.0	48,000	108
Bamberg	1,150	450	34.2	15,400	35
Barnwell	200	100	39.0	3,900	5
Beaufort	250	100	39.0	3,900	9
Berkeley 1/					
Calhoun 1/					
Charleston 1/					
Cherokee	1,450	1,000	43.8	43,800	99
Chester	1,100	300	56.3	16,900	38
Chesterfield	1,150	1,000	33.7	33,700	76
Clarendon 1/					
Colleton	350	100	32.0	3,200	7
Darlington	750	500	17.4	8,700	20
Dillon	200	150	23.3	3,500	8
Dorchester 1/					
Edgefield	650	350	50.3	17,600	40
Fairfield 1/					
Florence	350	200	19.5	3,900	9
Georgetown 1/					
Greenville	1,300	500	29.2	14,600	33
Greenwood 1/					
Hampton	1,050	650	30.8	20,000	46
Horry 1/					
Jasper 1/					
Kershaw	700	450	38.0	17,100	38
Lancaster	500	300	41.0	12,300	28
Laurens	2,500	1,350	28.7	38,700	87
Lee	250	100	34.0	3,400	8
Lexington	800	500	26.8	13,400	30
McCormick 1/					
Marion	250	200	16.5	3,300	7
Marlboro	500	350	14.6	5,100	11
Newberry	3,400	1,300	45.3	58,900	133
Oconee	350	100	21.0	2,100	5
Orangeburg	1,200	350	36.6	12,800	29
Pickens	300	150	28.0	4,200	9
Richland	350	200	41.5	8,300	19
Saluda	2,000	500	41.2	20,600	46
Spartanburg	2,800	2,050	24.3	49,800	112
Sumter	800	350	32.0	11,200	25
Union	400	250	38.8	9,700	22
Williamsburg	200	100	39.0	3,900	9
York	1,100	500	47.0	23,500	53
Other Counties	1,450	550	29.6	16,300	37
STATE	35,000	18,000	32.0	576,000	1,296

1/Included in other counties.

SORGHUMS: Acreage, Yield, Production and Value, by Counties, South Carolina, 1982

County	Acres Planted For All Purposes	Acres Harvested For Grain	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production for Grain	Value of Production For Grain
	----- Acres -----		----- Bushels -----		---- Thou. dols. ----
Abbeville	950	600	46.2	27,700	50
Aiken	1,600	1,050	41.0	43,100	78
Allendale	2,300	1,150	48.1	55,300	101
Anderson	5,000	3,800	41.0	155,800	284
Bamberg	1,950	1,050	40.9	42,900	78
Barnwell	750	550	44.0	24,200	44
Beaufort	400	200	36.0	7,200	13
Berkeley 1/					
Calhoun	300	100	40.0	4,000	7
Charleston	550	350	37.7	13,200	24
Cherokee	2,250	1,400	60.1	84,100	153
Chester	1,300	800	55.5	44,400	81
Chesterfield	2,050	1,700	56.9	96,700	176
Clarendon	300	150	44.0	6,600	12
Colleton	600	400	37.8	15,100	28
Darlington	600	350	48.6	17,000	31
Dillon	250	200	41.5	8,300	15
Dorchester 1/					
Edgefield	1,050	800	61.6	49,300	90
Fairfield	300	150	42.7	6,400	12
Florence	600	450	51.8	23,300	42
Georgetown 1/					
Greenville	2,600	1,200	41.0	49,200	90
Greenwood	1,150	550	54.4	29,900	54
Hampton	2,300	1,300	34.8	45,200	82
Horry 1/					
Jasper	450	300	30.7	9,200	17
Kershaw	800	450	42.9	19,300	35
Lancaster	650	250	44.8	11,200	20
Laurens	2,850	1,450	40.0	58,000	106
Lee	550	200	38.5	7,700	14
Lexington	1,450	700	41.9	29,300	53
McCormick	300	100	41.0	4,100	7
Marion	300	250	41.2	10,300	19
Marlboro	900	800	48.6	38,900	71
Newberry	5,100	3,050	47.2	144,000	262
Oconee	850	400	45.0	18,000	33
Orangeburg	2,300	700	38.6	27,000	49
Pickens	450	300	35.0	10,500	19
Richland	650	200	43.0	8,600	16
Saluda	4,150	2,050	46.2	94,700	172
Spartanburg	4,300	3,000	55.0	165,000	300
Sumter	1,950	950	38.4	36,500	66
Union	600	350	50.0	17,500	32
Williamsburg	450	400	46.5	18,600	34
York	1,150	450	42.9	19,300	35
Other Counties	650	350	38.3	13,400	25
STATE	60,000	35,000	46.0	1,610,000	2,930

1/Included in other counties.

SOYBEANS FOR BEANS: Acreage, Yield, Production and Value, by Counties, South Carolina, 1981

County	Acres Planted For All Purposes	Acres Harvested For Beans	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Value of Production
	----- Acres -----		----- Bushels -----		--- Thou. dols. ---
Abbeville	7,700	7,000	11.4	80,000	494
Aiken	55,800	52,500	18.0	945,000	5,831
Allendale	61,900	61,000	19.4	1,183,000	7,299
Anderson	41,500	38,800	10.8	419,000	2,585
Bamberg	54,100	53,200	23.7	1,261,000	7,780
Barnwell	49,300	48,200	18.4	887,000	5,473
Beaufort	13,000	11,600	24.5	284,000	1,752
Berkeley	12,300	12,000	21.8	262,000	1,616
Calhoun	44,800	44,000	21.7	955,000	5,892
Charleston	26,700	25,800	25.7	663,000	4,091
Cherokee	14,900	13,600	14.8	201,000	1,240
Chester	7,800	7,500	24.0	180,000	1,111
Chesterfield	46,000	44,900	17.8	799,000	4,930
Clarendon	78,700	76,700	18.7	1,434,000	8,848
Colleton	37,300	36,400	18.7	681,000	4,202
Darlington	95,900	94,200	19.5	1,837,000	11,334
Dillon	53,200	52,400	23.1	1,210,000	7,466
Dorchester	20,700	20,200	21.7	438,000	2,702
Edgefield	11,100	10,700	14.8	158,000	975
Fairfield	700	500	24.0	12,000	74
Florence	94,200	92,300	19.8	1,828,000	11,279
Georgetown	9,100	8,700	23.6	205,000	1,265
Greenville	13,200	12,100	13.3	161,000	993
Greenwood	2,600	2,100	15.7	33,000	204
Hampton	59,400	57,700	25.3	1,460,000	9,008
Horry	60,200	58,300	21.8	1,271,000	7,842
Jasper	12,000	11,700	20.9	245,000	1,512
Kershaw	17,700	17,300	19.8	343,000	2,116
Lancaster	10,400	10,100	24.4	246,000	1,518
Laurens	20,200	18,900	13.7	259,000	1,598
Lee	62,900	61,300	16.2	993,000	6,127
Lexington	31,000	30,100	18.3	551,000	3,400
McCormick	400	400	15.0	6,000	37
Marion	38,800	37,800	20.6	779,000	4,806
Marlboro	55,600	54,500	22.2	1,210,000	7,466
Newberry	16,400	15,100	24.2	365,000	2,252
Oconee	3,900	3,600	8.6	31,000	191
Orangeburg	136,700	134,000	21.1	2,827,000	17,443
Pickens	2,200	1,500	11.3	17,000	105
Richland	21,500	21,100	20.7	437,000	2,696
Saluda	17,400	16,700	23.9	399,000	2,462
Spartanburg	35,900	33,200	15.8	525,000	3,239
Sumter	59,400	57,400	19.6	1,125,000	6,941
Union	2,800	2,300	15.7	36,000	222
Williamsburg	67,000	65,500	21.2	1,389,000	8,570
York	15,700	15,100	24.5	370,000	2,283
STATE	1,600,000	1,550,000	20.0	31,000,000	191,270

SOYBEANS FOR BEANS: Acreage, Yield, Production and Value, by Counties, South Carolina, 1982

County	Acres Planted For All Purposes	Acres Harvested For Beans	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Value of Production
	----- Acres -----		----- Bushels -----		--- Thou. dols. ---
Abbeville	7,400	7,000	16.3	114,000	650
Aiken	61,900	60,900	21.4	1,303,000	7,427
Allendale	75,600	73,600	19.8	1,457,000	8,305
Anderson	41,200	38,800	21.7	842,000	4,799
Bamberg	65,000	63,300	22.2	1,405,000	8,008
Barnwell	54,300	53,200	17.4	926,000	5,278
Beaufort	13,400	12,700	20.0	254,000	1,448
Berkeley	13,500	13,000	21.1	274,000	1,562
Calhoun	55,200	53,500	21.8	1,166,000	6,646
Charleston	30,200	29,600	28.0	829,000	4,725
Cherokee	15,500	15,000	18.8	282,000	1,607
Chester	8,100	8,000	23.4	187,000	1,066
Chesterfield	57,000	55,100	17.4	959,000	5,466
Clarendon	99,500	97,700	25.7	2,511,000	14,313
Colleton	42,900	41,600	19.5	811,000	4,623
Darlington	115,900	113,600	25.7	2,920,000	16,644
Dillon	68,500	67,300	23.1	1,555,000	8,864
Dorchester	22,800	22,000	18.8	414,000	2,360
Edgefield	10,600	10,400	21.8	227,000	1,294
Fairfield	700	700	20.0	14,000	80
Florence	116,700	114,500	21.8	2,496,000	14,227
Georgetown	12,600	12,200	23.4	285,000	1,625
Greenville	14,400	14,000	20.4	286,000	1,630
Greenwood	2,800	2,600	24.6	64,000	365
Hampton	62,400	61,100	21.8	1,332,000	7,592
Horry	83,500	80,900	20.2	1,634,000	9,314
Jasper	13,200	12,100	20.5	248,000	1,414
Kershaw	20,700	19,900	22.2	442,000	2,519
Lancaster	11,100	10,800	24.3	262,000	1,493
Laurens	19,100	18,700	20.4	381,000	2,172
Lee	73,100	71,600	22.3	1,597,000	9,103
Lexington	37,600	36,900	19.5	720,000	4,104
McCormick	500	500	16.0	8,000	46
Marion	44,200	43,200	24.2	1,045,000	5,956
Marlboro	68,900	67,900	25.0	1,697,000	9,673
Newberry	19,800	18,500	23.3	431,000	2,457
Oconee	4,300	4,100	26.3	108,000	616
Orangeburg	176,900	173,200	22.5	3,897,000	22,213
Pickens	2,600	2,400	21.3	51,000	291
Richland	23,300	22,700	18.5	420,000	2,394
Saluda	21,100	20,700	22.7	470,000	2,679
Spartanburg	39,200	37,800	20.5	775,000	4,417
Sumter	72,700	70,200	22.4	1,572,000	8,960
Union	2,500	2,400	19.2	46,000	262
Williamsburg	81,600	79,100	21.1	1,669,000	9,513
York	16,000	15,000	20.9	314,000	1,790
STATE	1,900,000	1,850,000	22.0	40,700,000	231,990

FLUE-CURED TOBACCO-TYPE 13: Acreage, Yield, Production and Value, by Counties, South Carolina, 1981

County	Acres Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Value of Production
	----- Acres -----	----- Pounds -----	----- Thou. Pounds -----	----- Thou Dols. -----
Bamberg	45	2,180	98	162
Berkeley	375	2,110	792	1,311
Chesterfield	610	1,945	1,185	1,961
Clarendon	3,440	2,215	7,618	12,608
Colleton	515	2,090	1,076	1,781
Darlington	6,080	2,120	12,883	21,321
Dillon	5,850	2,235	13,085	21,656
Dorchester	600	2,205	1,322	2,188
Florence	13,100	2,115	27,675	45,802
Georgetown	1,500	2,095	3,141	5,198
Horry	17,800	2,255	40,098	66,363
Kershaw	220	2,050	451	746
Lee	1,320	2,075	2,738	4,531
Marion	5,870	2,210	12,959	21,447
Marlboro	890	1,985	1,766	2,923
Orangeburg	140	1,865	261	432
Sumter	1,500	2,135	3,203	5,301
Williamsburg	8,100	2,240	18,138	30,018
Other Counties	45	2,020	91	151
STATE	68,000	2,185	148,580	245,900

FLUE-CURED TOBACCO-TYPE 13: Acreage, Yield, Production and Value, by Counties, South Carolina, 1982

County	Acres Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Value of Production
	----- Acres -----	----- Pounds -----	----- Thou. Pounds -----	----- Thou Dols. -----
Bamberg	50	1,840	92	162
Berkeley	400	1,770	708	1,250
Chesterfield	550	2,325	1,279	2,257
Clarendon	3,210	2,195	7,041	12,427
Colleton	520	1,815	944	1,666
Darlington	4,910	2,185	10,739	18,954
Dillon	5,110	2,160	11,025	19,459
Dorchester	535	2,005	1,073	1,894
Florence	11,600	2,130	24,700	43,596
Georgetown	1,360	2,055	2,798	4,939
Horry	15,200	2,105	32,012	56,501
Kershaw	200	2,080	416	734
Lee	1,080	2,145	2,316	4,088
Marion	4,780	2,025	9,677	17,080
Marlboro	830	2,095	1,740	3,071
Orangeburg	130	2,370	308	544
Sumter	1,280	2,230	2,857	5,043
Williamsburg	7,210	1,995	14,394	25,405
Other Counties	45	1,689	76	134
STATE	59,000	2,105	124,195	219,204

PEANUTS: Acreage, Yield, Production and Value, by Counties, South Carolina, 1981

County	Acres Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Value of Production
	----- Acres -----	----- Pounds -----	----- Pounds -----	----- Thou Dols. -----
Aiken	970	3,015	2,924,000	877
Allendale	990	3,020	2,988,000	896
Bamberg	135	2,835	383,000	115
Barnwell	1,970	2,865	5,643,000	1,693
Clarendon	230	3,285	756,000	227
Florence	1,270	2,210	2,805,000	842
Hampton	1,375	2,650	3,644,000	1,093
Kershaw	190	2,240	425,000	128
Lee	2,260	2,930	6,628,000	1,988
Orangeburg	90	1,945	175,000	53
Sumter	4,960	2,420	12,016,000	3,600
Other Counties	560	1,095	613,000	188
STATE	15,000	2,600	39,000,000	11,700

PEANUTS: Acreage, Yield, Production and Value, by Counties, South Carolina, 1982

County	Acres Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Value of Production
	----- Acres -----	----- Pounds -----	----- Pounds -----	----- Thou Dols. -----
Aiken	810	3,215	2,606,000	706
Allendale	830	2,500	2,075,000	562
Bamberg	95	3,145	299,000	81
Barnwell	2,000	2,790	5,580,000	1,512
Clarendon	200	2,020	404,000	109
Florence	1,120	2,105	2,360,000	639
Hampton	970	2,405	2,335,000	633
Kershaw	80	3,875	310,000	84
Lee	1,800	2,590	4,666,000	1,264
Orangeburg	85	1,350	115,000	31
Sumter	3,560	2,435	8,676,000	2,351
Other Counties	450	1,275	574,000	158
STATE	12,000	2,500	30,000,000	8,130

PEACHES: Utilized Production and Value, by Counties, South Carolina, 1981 and 1982

County	1981		1982	
	Production	Value of Production	Production	Value of Production
	-----Thou. lbs.-----	----Thou. dols.----	-----Thou. lbs.-----	----Thou. dols.----
Aiken	11,373	1,681	3,616	837
Allendale, Barnwell & Hampton	20,948	3,097	21,815	5,052
Cherokee	32,660	4,828	800	185
Chesterfield	14,450	2,136	1,660	385
Edgefield	130,954	19,359	127,730	29,581
Greenville	8,440	1,248	1,560	361
Lexington	13,200	1,951	4,154	962
Orangeburg	4,747	702	10,760	2,492
Saluda	43,940	6,496	16,958	3,927
Spartanburg	115,786	17,117	5,719	1,325
York	5,180	766	63	15
Other Counties	18,322	2,709	5,165	1,196
STATE	420,000	62,090	200,000	46,318

APPLES: Utilized Production by Varieties, by Counties, South Carolina, 1981

County	Red Delicious	Golden Delicious	Other Varieties	Total
-----Thousand Pounds-----				
Oconee	12,400	2,100	1,500	16,000
Spartanburg	12,600	2,800	300	15,700
Other Counties	2,500	600	200	3,300
STATE	27,500	5,500	2,000	35,000

APPLES: Utilized Production by Varieties, by Counties, South Carolina, 1982

County	Red Delicious	Golden Delicious	Other Varieties	Total
-----Thousand Pounds-----				
Oconee	100	110	30	240
Spartanburg	3,570	1,100	170	4,840
Other Counties	630	190	100	920
STATE	4,300	1,400	300	6,000

**WATERMELONS, Summer: Acreage, Yield, Production, and Value
of Production, by Counties, South Carolina, 1981 and 1982 1/**

County	Acres Planted		Acres Harvested		Yield per Harvested Acre 2/		Production		Value of Production	
	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982
	-----Acres-----				-----Cwt.-----		-----Thou. lbs.-----		---Thou. dols.---	
Aiken	360	540	270	420	60	71	1,632	2,982	37	107
Allendale	1,530	1,320	1,150	1,070	131	125	15,048	13,375	395	395
Bamberg	1,870	1,970	1,400	1,630	182	173	25,472	28,199	1,030	832
Barnwell	2,770	3,920	2,200	2,990	100	165	22,000	49,335	660	1,455
Beaufort	120	140	100	110	60	81	600	891	24	26
Charleston	3/	200	3/	160	3/	130	3/	2,080	3/	61
Chesterfield	2,300	1,230	1,820	1,150	70	90	12,658	10,350	407	290
Clarendon	140	140	140	110	58	50	816	550	24	20
Colleton	110	200	110	190	130	79	1,430	1,501	43	44
Hampton	2,470	2,690	2,000	2,040	144	175	28,800	35,700	991	1,053
Horry	390	450	300	350	122	111	3,648	3,885	152	109
Jasper	200	420	150	180	70	63	1,056	1,134	31	33
Kershaw	270	130	200	110	59	61	1,176	671	27	19
Lexington	3/	180	3/	130	3/	80	3/	1,040	3/	37
Orangeburg	410	220	310	160	60	88	1,872	1,408	62	52
Spartanburg	260	220	230	200	99	174	2,280	3,480	57	139
Other Counties	1,400	630	1,120	500	72	88	8,012	4,419	222	158
STATE	14,600	14,600	11,500	11,500	110	140	126,500 4/	161,000	4,162	4,830

1/Preliminary. Survey funded by Clemson University. 2/Yields are derived from total production. 3/Shown in other counties. 4/Economic abandonment estimated at 9 million lbs. not included above.

**TOMATOES: For Fresh Market - Acreage, Yield, Production and Value
of Production, by Counties, South Carolina, 1981 and 1982 1/**

County	Acres Planted		Acres Harvested		Yield per Harvested Acre 2/		Production		Value of Production	
	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982
	-----Acres-----				-----Cwt.-----		-----Thou. lbs.-----		---Thou. dols.---	
Beaufort	3,170	2,200	3,000	2,100	200	218	60,000	45,800	7,632	12,360
Charleston	4,280	3,800	4,100	3,800	187	237	76,700	90,100	10,738	27,340
Lexington	150	100	140	100	132	139	1,850	1,390	265	371
Orangeburg	400	270	380	270	126	132	4,790	3,560	670	950
Other Counties	900	630	880	630	110	120	9,660	7,550	1,350	2,015
STATE	8,900	7,000	8,500	6,900	180	215	153,000 3/	148,400	20,655	43,036

1/Preliminary. Survey funded by Clemson University. 2/Yields are derived from total production. 3/Economic abandonment estimated at 24 million lbs. not included above.

GRAINS: Stocks on Farms, Off Farms, and in All Positions, South Carolina, Quarterly, 1977 - 1982

YEAR	STOCKS ON FARM				STOCKS IN OFF-FARM POSITIONS				TOTAL STOCKS ALL POSITIONS			
	Jan. 1	Apr. 1	Jun. 1	Oct. 1	Jan. 1	Apr. 1	Jun. 1	Oct. 1	Jan. 1	Apr. 1	Jun. 1	Oct. 1
----- Thousand Bushels -----												
CORN												
1977	16,648	8,324	5,203	780	8,782	5,506	2,531	619	25,430	13,830	7,734	1,399
1978	13,455	5,920	2,691	1,346	6,977	4,062	1,816	200	20,432	9,982	4,507	1,546
1979	13,794	7,524	3,449	314	5,279	3,610	2,054	70	19,073	11,134	5,503	384
1980	13,030	8,551	6,515	611	4,753	3,269	1,592	195	17,783	11,820	8,107	806
1981	8,899	6,180	3,708	247	6,046	4,108	2,446	93	14,945	10,288	6,154	340
1982 1/	12,563	4,628	2,645	661	5,190	2,459	1,452	80	17,753	7,087	4,097	741
WHEAT												
1977	65	49	13	592	246	313	182	595	311	362	195	1,187
1978	394	197	49	515	319	152	102	471	713	349	151	986
1979	193	86	43	561	244	99	*	697	437	185	*	1,258
1980	231	99	17	1,106	555	296	*	545	786	395	*	1,651
1981	415	138	69	2,296	252	127	96	926	667	265	165	3,222
1982 1/	1,076	574	287	2,178	509	309	215	1,709	1,585	883	502	3,887
OATS												
1977	497	249	132	1,139	400	186	56	441	897	435	188	1,580
1978	455	329	152	1,404	355	215	128	1,296	810	544	280	2,700
1979	878	491	281	1,454	1,059	645	385	657	1,937	1,136	666	2,111
1980	1,057	198	132	882	213	119	78	168	1,270	317	210	1,050
1981	451	157	98	927	117	87	45	216	568	244	143	1,143
1982 1/	596	331	199	1,189	160	92	58	623	756	423	257	1,812
BARLEY												
1977	144	72	43	311	*	11	*	70	*	83	*	381
1978	202	126	67	406	14	5	*	52	216	131	*	458
1979	293	135	68	541	22	65	*	47	315	200	*	588
1980	199	88	33	466	*	*	*	11	*	*	*	477
1981	213	121	30	406	*	*	*	56	*	*	*	462
1982 1/	232	128	58	578	39	28	14	79	271	156	72	657
SORGHUM GRAIN												
1977	228	86	54	17	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
1978	91	53	29	7	63	*	*	*	154	*	*	*
1979	233	122	56	17	57	*	*	-	290	*	*	17
1980	264	132	63	9	5	*	*	-	269	*	*	9
1981	132	66	36	10	6	*	*	-	138	*	*	10
1982 1/	282	127	52	23	27	13	*	*	*	140	*	*
SOYBEANS												
1977	7,497	1,285	643	107 2/	9,358	6,130	3,985	573 2/	16,855	7,415	4,628	680 2/
1978	8,795	3,465	1,333	800 2/	9,384	6,293	3,641	1,157 2/	18,179	9,758	4,974	1,957 2/
1979	11,642	4,851	2,911	323 2/	14,390	7,812	2,988	984 2/	26,032	12,663	5,899	1,307 2/
1980	15,538	9,562	6,374	1,195 2/	15,686	8,612	4,667	2,699 2/	31,224	18,174	11,041	3,894 2/
1981	7,072	4,992	2,288	1,248 2/	11,112	6,618	4,347	2,246 2/	18,184	11,610	6,635	3,494 2/
1982 1/	13,020	6,200	3,410	465 2/	11,794	5,350	3,744	1,734 2/	24,814	11,550	7,154	2,199 2/

1/Preliminary. 2/Stocks as of September 1. *Unpublished to avoid disclosing individual operations.

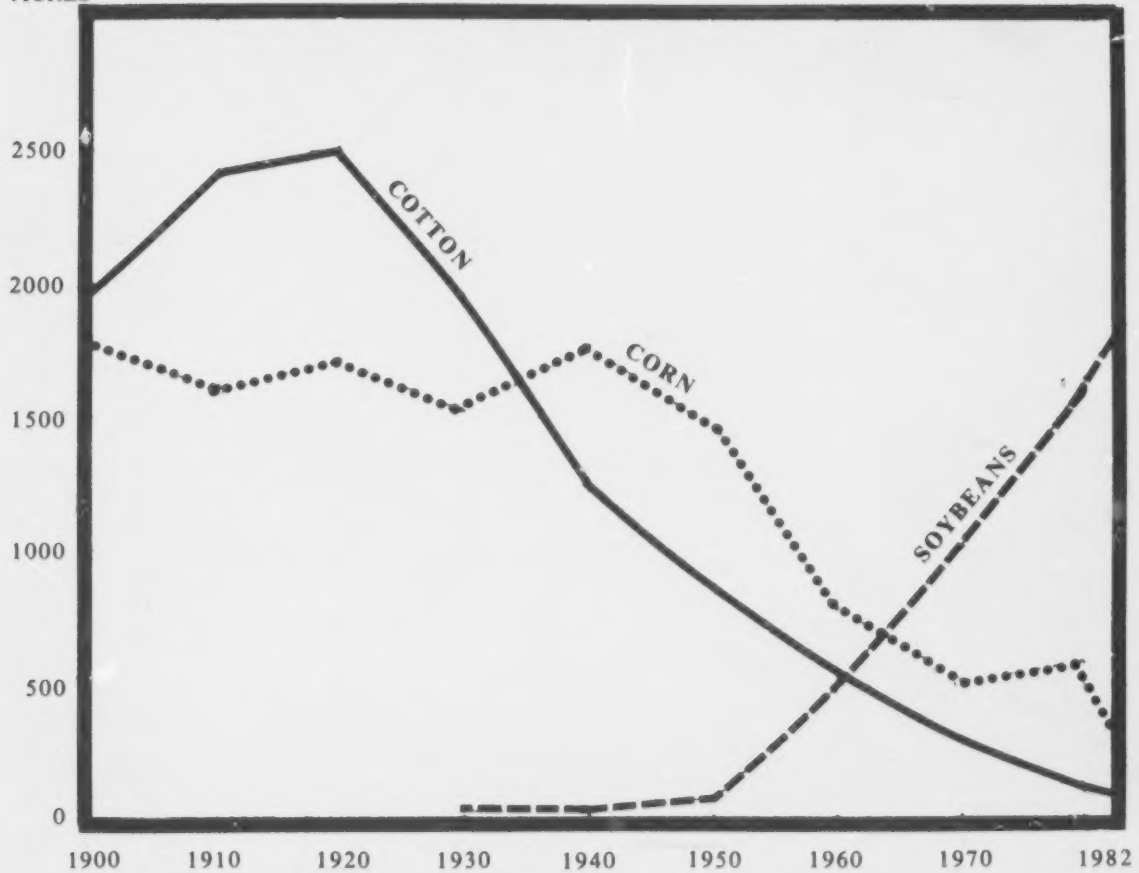
**Distribution of Commercial Fertilizers in South Carolina by Grades, Materials and Primary Plant
Nutrients (Tons), July 1, 1981 - June 30, 1982 1/**

County	Grand total (mixed and materials)	Total mixed fertilizer	Total materials	Total N in mixed fertilizers and materials	Total P ₂ O ₅ in mixed fertilizers and materials	Total K ₂ O in mixed fertilizers and materials
Abbeville	4,651	2,875	1,776	793	306	401
Aiken	14,017	8,918	5,099	1,864	876	1,956
Allendale	16,293	8,417	7,876	2,078	1,111	2,520
Anderson	20,793	13,091	7,702	3,738	1,729	2,149
Bamberg	23,242	17,316	5,926	2,159	1,695	4,192
Barnwell	7,722	4,169	3,553	1,010	506	1,089
Beaufort	7,583	5,723	1,860	882	460	877
Berkeley	5,752	4,463	1,289	612	433	714
Calhoun	15,833	9,483	6,350	2,315	990	2,169
Charleston	14,871	11,260	3,611	1,483	1,079	1,750
Cherokee	4,286	3,317	969	621	459	595
Chester	3,553	2,361	1,192	576	414	455
Chesterfield	12,469	7,892	4,577	1,449	830	2,209
Clarendon	21,175	13,251	7,924	2,587	1,339	3,265
Colleton	18,500	11,663	6,837	2,450	1,105	2,151
Darlington	25,711	14,134	11,577	3,362	1,327	3,480
Dillon	18,063	11,197	6,866	2,392	1,110	2,446
Dorchester	11,588	6,816	4,772	1,196	950	1,300
Edgefield	9,567	5,598	3,969	1,169	478	1,301
Fairfield	2,406	1,970	436	330	206	257
Florence	45,320	31,767	13,553	4,812	2,971	7,479
Georgetown	2,586	1,977	609	263	188	357
Greenville	13,253	8,981	4,272	1,940	1,068	1,300
Greenwood	3,349	2,398	951	480	319	360
Hampton	22,957	13,200	9,757	3,386	1,269	3,288
Horry	39,406	31,974	7,432	4,064	2,719	6,125
Jasper	4,914	3,246	1,668	581	265	591
Kershaw	5,302	3,709	1,593	682	288	549
Lancaster	4,633	3,336	1,297	689	450	544
Laurens	9,041	5,841	3,200	1,485	718	890
Lee	28,515	12,202	16,313	4,872	1,684	4,043
Lexington	11,750	7,622	4,128	1,563	760	1,513
McCormick	469	317	152	83	34	42
Marion	23,213	17,651	5,562	2,535	1,515	3,369
Marlboro	19,839	12,896	6,943	2,288	1,300	3,554
Newberry	12,406	7,848	4,558	1,861	909	1,304
Oconee	5,779	4,056	1,723	907	432	532
Orangeburg	60,095	32,358	27,737	8,708	3,463	8,261
Pickens	4,657	3,714	943	625	383	464
Richland	12,073	7,883	4,190	1,357	820	1,467
Saluda	15,285	11,250	4,035	2,047	1,099	1,837
Spartanburg	23,145	15,014	8,131	3,472	1,871	2,759
Sumter	24,726	11,764	12,962	3,677	1,348	3,105
Union	1,965	1,361	604	336	154	146
Williamsburg	32,863	23,299	9,564	3,641	2,100	4,888
York	12,692	8,831	3,861	1,982	1,369	1,621
STATE	698,308	448,409	249,899	91,402	46,899	95,664

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